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In re Application of : Scott R. Presnell, Wenfeng Xu, Wayne Kindsvogel, Zhi Chen
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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))

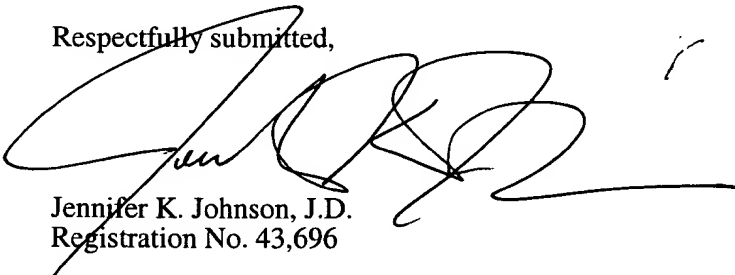
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated July 23, 2002 be extended for a period of four months from August 23, 2002 to December 23, 2002.

Applicants claim small entity status. Please charge the total fee, estimated to be \$720.00, to ZymoGenetics, Inc., Deposit Account No. 26-0290. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,


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